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FM AMCONSUL STUTTGART

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1817

INFO AMEMBASSY BONN

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMCONSUL DUESSELDORF

AMCONSUL FRANKFURT

C O N F I D E N T I A L STUTTGART 0685

EXCON FOR COMMERCE

E.O. 11652 N/A

TAGS: ESTC, GW

SUBJECG: LORENZ CASE

REF: STUTTGART 0664 AND STATE 157568

1. ON AUGUST 13 MEETING FILTER EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT OEC NOT INTERESTED IN OFFER HE HAS IN MIND. USE IMMUNITY NOT TEMPTING. FURTHERMORE, HE HAS NOW PRETTY WELL DECIDED AGAINST APPROACHING FEDREP OFFICIALS WITH OFFER OF COOPERATION IN ABSENCE OF SOME COVERING GUARANTEES FROM USG AS WELL. HE BELIEVES HIS HELP COULD BE IMPORTANT TO USG BUT OF LESS VALUE TO GERMAN AUTHORITIES. SCHENK OF GERMAN CUSTOMS HAS ALSO TOLD US HE WOULD NOT TRADE IMMUNITY FOR FULL COOPERATION BY FILTER BECAUSE FILTER HAS BEEN TOO DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN LAW VIOLATIONS. LOWER DOWN ON THE LADDER, YES; FILTER, NO.
2. FILTER HOPES NEVERTHELESS CHANNEL FOR CONSIDERATION BY OEC CAN REMAIN OPEN. HE BROUGHT IN DRAFT OF AGREEMENT HE HAD IN MIND AND ASKED THAT IT BE FORWARDED TO SHYBURGH. WILL BE POUCHED AUGUST 15.

3. ON GROUNDS THAT SILENCE WILL BE HIS BEST DEFENSE AT THIS

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POINT, FILTER RELUCTANT TO GIVE OUT ANY MORE INFORMATION.

HOWEVER, HE CLEARLY IDENTIFIED THE 370 COMPUTER IN THE USSR
AS 145 MODEL, NOT MORE SOPHISTICATED 165. RUCHTI

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